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AGENDA: 1977

19th

21 th

Annual General Meeting. Election of nominated candidates 17th March:

> Speaker Mr. Marcus Hurburgh, presidential address -History Van Diemensland Company

Outing to Riadon Dam. Leader Mrs. Thorpe

21th April: Speaker Dr. Guiler

Outing to Magra Caves. Leader Miss Babara Greenstreet 23rd

Speaker Mr. P. Murray, Curator Anthropology - Tasmanian 19th May : Museum

Outing to be announced. Leader Mr. Murray

Speaker: Prof. Carey, University of Tasmania 26th June: subject.continental drift over the last 50 years

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The Tasmanian Naturalist has a new editor, Mr. B. Sheppard. Most of us know him from club meetings and outings. However, even if you do not know him, he needs help where possible - often there is not enough suitable material for publication. For this reason the Rebruary edition is one month late. Help him where you can with copy, probably from other authors.

Thank you David Thomas for your work as editor over the many years. This publication has proved to be valuable.

Easter Camp - 8 - 11 April.

The Tasmanian Conservation Trust has invited us for a combined camp at Wynyard. So far five members are going by train on Good Friday.

For further information Mrs. Thorpe. Telephone 283652.

Financial Statements for 1976 will be available at the March meeting. Copies to be obtained from the Treasurer Miss Marjory Westbrook.

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Some books are not allowed to be loaned. For instance our second last copy of "Tasmanian Birds" disappeared. The last copy of our publication shall not be loaned any more. Other books have disappeared. Some are valuable and not available on the market.

Wanted for the library: Books on flora, fauna, ornithology. We will purchase if money is available. For example 'Tasmanian Orchids'

Welcome new member: Miss Jennifer Birch, 12 Braeside Crescent, Sandy Bay. 7005 It is time again to shuffle and see who will be the activators for the coming year. The committee is the life wire of the club.

There are big plans in hand. A reprint of our'Tasmanian Birds' book, the production of the 'Young Naturalist' books, the consolidating of the Orchid Map and the normal business.

Come to the meeting to vote for a new President,

Two Vice Presidents.

Honorary Secretary.

Assistant Honorary Secretary.

Honorary Treasurer and

Six Committee members.

These twelve committee members will have the task of restructuring and building up the club meeting attendance for the next twelve months.

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THINK!	Who is capable - not a vacuum.
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THINK:	And remember what you did do last for the club - See you at the meeting - participate in the outing.
THINK!	Are you a positive member - Help to elect the right candidates.
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